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AFRICAN TRADING CO., Colombo.  
SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—KELLY &  
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FORD & CO., and KELLY & WALSH,  
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and KIEL & CO.

## Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$10,000,000.  
RESERVE FUND.....\$ 5,000,000.  
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PROFITABLES.....

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On Current Accounts at the rate of 2  
per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—  
For 3 months 2 1/2 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 3 " " "  
" 12 " 4 " " "  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1895. 545

THE MERCHANT BANK OF  
INDIA, LIMITED.  
AUTHORISED CAPITAL.....£1,500,000.  
SUBSCRIBED.....£1,125,000.  
PAID-UP.....£ 562,500.

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Interest allowed on Current Accounts at  
the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum on the  
Daily Balance.  
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For 12 months.....4 %  
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For 3 months.....3 %  
DEPOSITS RECEIVED ON OLD TERMS.  
JOHN THURGOOD,  
Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1895. 228

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.  
THE business of the above Bank is con-  
ducted by the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at  
the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum on the  
Daily Balance.  
ON NEW FIXED DEPOSITS:—  
For 12 months.....4 %  
For 6 months.....3 1/2 %  
For 3 months.....3 %  
DEPOSITS RECEIVED ON OLD TERMS.  
JOHN THURGOOD,  
Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1895. 228

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,  
AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.  
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.  
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.  
CAPITAL PAID-UP.....£300,000.  
RESERVE FUND.....£300,000.  
RESERVE FUND.....£335,000.

INTEREST allowed on Current Account  
at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum on the  
Daily Balance.  
On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4 %  
" 6 " 3 1/2 %  
" 3 " 3 %  
T. E. RANSOM,  
pro. Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1895. 848

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,  
LIMITED.  
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,000,000.  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....£ 500,000.  
HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

COURT OF DIRECTORS:  
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CHAI KEE SHAN, Esq., CHOW TUNG SHANG,  
Esq.,  
KWAN BOI CHUN, Esq.,  
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,  
Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %  
Hongkong, October 23, 1894. 1711

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE  
for LADIES and GENTLEMEN. Special  
attention to Ladies' comfort. Accommoda-  
tion for Table D'Hotel. Central situation.  
Mrs. MATHER,  
3 and 5 Peddar's Hill.  
Hongkong, July 24, 1895. 1297

## Intimations.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Or-  
dinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the  
SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will  
be held at the City Hall, Hongkong,  
on SATURDAY, the 10th day of August  
next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving  
the Report of the Court of Directors,  
together with a Statement of Accounts to  
30th June, 1895.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, July 24, 1895. 1353

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the  
REGISTERS of SHARES of the  
Corporation will be CLOSED from  
SATURDAY, the 27th instant to the 10th  
day of August next (both days inclusive),  
during which period no Transfer of Shares  
can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, July 24, 1895. 1354

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-  
ORDINARY General MEETING of the  
GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COM-  
PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the  
Company's Office, No. 3, Prince Street,  
Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the  
12th day of August, 1895, at 12 Noon, when  
the Subjoined Resolution will be proposed,  
viz:—

That the Capital of the Company be re-  
duced from \$1,000,000, divided into  
20,000 shares of \$50 each to \$200,000,  
divided into 20,000 shares of \$10 each  
and that such reduction be effected by  
cancelling capital which has been lost  
or is unrepresented by available assets  
to the extent of \$40 per share on each  
of the 14,117 shares which have been  
issued and are now outstanding and  
by reducing the nominal amount of  
all the shares in the Company's cap-  
ital from \$50 to \$10 per share.

Should the above Resolution be duly  
passed it will be submitted for Confirmation  
as a Special Resolution to a Second Ex-  
traordinary General Meeting which will be  
subsequently convened.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1895.  
SHEWAN & CO.,  
General Managers.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO  
STEAMBOAT COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the rate of SIX  
PER CENT. or \$1.20 per share,  
declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meet-  
ing of Shareholders held this Day, will be  
PAYABLE at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION on and after  
TUESDAY, the 6th instant.

Shareholders are requested to apply to  
the OFFICE of the Company for WARRANTS.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
C. TOMLIN,  
Acting Secretary.

HONGKONG, August 3, 1895. 1430

FANCY MATTINGS,  
RATTAN CHAIRS AND BAMBOO  
BLINDS, &c. FOR SALE AT A  
MODERATE PRICE.  
Apply to  
KWONG WOO ON,  
No. 55, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, August 3, 1895. 1426

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a  
Meeting of the Directors of this  
Company held at the Company's Office,  
Commerce House, 10, Queen's Road Central,  
Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 2nd  
August, 1895, a FINAL CALL of TWENTY  
FIVE CENTS per share was made  
upon all MEMBERS holding Ordinary Shares  
of the Company, and that the same will be  
PAYABLE to the SECRETARY at the Office  
of the Company, Commercial, or to Messrs.  
S. S. & CO., the Company's Agents at  
Singapore, on or before TUESDAY, 3rd  
September, 1895.

And Notice is also given that, in ac-  
cordance with Clause 24 of the Company's  
Articles of Association, if the sum Pay-  
able in respect of any CALL be NOT  
PAID on or before the said 3rd SEPTEMBER  
1895, the Holder for the time being of  
the Share in respect of which the Call  
shall have been made shall pay INTEREST  
for the same, at the rate of TEN  
PER CENT. per annum from  
the said 3rd September 1895, to the time  
of the actual payment.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to note that  
Share must be sent in when paying CALLS,  
in order that such Payments may be en-  
dorsed thereon.

By Order of the Directors,  
JAMES R. DUNCAN,  
Secretary.

HONGKONG, August 2, 1895. 1419

NOTICE.

MR. REGINALD ISBELL is prepared  
to give Lessons in Piano, Organ,  
Singing, and Theory.  
His instruction has had several years' suc-  
cessful professional experience in England and  
the Australian Colonies and has made the  
Cultivation and Development of the Human  
Voice a Special Study.  
Piano & Organ taught.  
Special Terms for Families.  
Piano, Organ, and Singing, and Social  
provided with Selected Music on Reason-  
able Terms.

Arrangements for Lessons can be made  
by applying to—  
MR. REGINALD ISBELL,  
c/o Messrs. Robinson & Co.,  
Carnegie House.  
Hongkong, July 22, 1895. 1398

COAL MERCHANT,  
No. 5, ARNOLD STREET, EAST.  
Business Office, No. 21, Gilman Street.

## Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & CO.  
FRESH GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,  
FROM  
CROSSE & BLACKWELL, PHILLIPS & CANAUD, AND  
OTHER FIRST-CLASS PACKERS, ALWAYS IN STOCK.

HUNTLEY & PALMERS' BISCUITS AND FANCY CAKES.  
MCLAREN'S CANADIAN CHEESES IN JARS.  
AMERICAN SNOW FLAKE BISCUITS.  
NORWEGIAN LAX. FAYANDU TONGUES. LONCH TONGUES.  
MELTON MOWBRAY PORK PIES.  
GAME PIES. SAVORY PIES. POTTED MEATS OF ALL KINDS.  
ANCHOVIES. SARDINES. HERRINGS. A. & S. SARDINES.  
HERRINGS IN WHITE VINE. STUFFED SOLIVES.  
EXTRA FINEST ISIGNY BUTTER, in 1 lb. and 2 lbs. tins.  
PILCHARDS IN OIL. SPICED BACON. SPICED BEEF.  
CODFISH BALLS. CLAM CHOWDER. OXFORD BROWN.  
SALMON CUTLETS. SALMON BELLIES. SALMON TROUT.  
TART FRUITS. DESSERT FRUITS, &c., &c.

Lane, Crawford & Co.  
Hongkong, August 7, 1895. 1449

H. RUTTONJEE.  
CLARET. CLARET. CLARET.

THE following CLARETS are Specially bottled for me at Bordeaux:—  
P. MARGAUX.....Per doz. Quarts. Per doz. Pints.  
St. JULIEN (Two Crowns).....\$12.50 \$6.25  
St. JULIEN (One Crown).....9.50 4.75  
St. JULIEN (One Crown).....7.00 3.50  
I can guarantee the Brand is far Superior in quality and cheaper in price than any  
Claret obtainable at this price.  
H. RUTTONJEE, 13, D'Aguilar Street. 859  
Hongkong, May 11, 1895.

W. POWELL & Co.  
NEW STOCK OF

'METALLIC PASTE' for CLEANING BRASS GOODS, 15 Cents per Tin.  
'BLANCO' for MILITARY BATS or WHITE SHOES, 10 Cents per Cake.  
'BILLIARD CHALK,' 49 Cents per Dozen.  
'BILLIARD CUE TIPS,' 40 Cents per Dozen.  
'LEMON SQUEEZERS,' 35 Cents Each.

W. POWELL & Co.  
Hongkong, August 3, 1895. 1423

Don't use  
Boiled Soap  
for the  
Toilet.

"VINOlia" IS A REFINED SOAP.  
It keeps the complexion fresh  
and clear.  
No other Soap has received  
such high awards as "VINOlia"  
SOAP.

DON'T ECONOMIZE AT THE EXPENSE OF YOUR COMPLEXION.  
VINOlia SOAP—All Prices. VINOlia SHAVING STICKS and CAKES.  
VINOlia CREAM (For Tinting, Face Spots, &c.), and VINOlia POWDER (For the Complexion).

"Johannis"  
The King of Natural Table Waters.

SUPPLIED BY TO HER MAJESTY  
ROYAL WARRANT. THE QUEEN.  
Supplied to the HOUSE OF LORDS and the  
HOUSE OF COMMONS.  
IN BOTTLES AND HALF-BOTTLES.

MIXES equally well with Wines, Spirits, Milk,  
Fruit Syrups and Lime Juice.  
SOLE AGENTS for South China and Philippines,  
WATTS & Co.,  
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REPORT OF THE ACADEMIE DE MEDECINE  
OF FRANCE.

Apollinaris  
"THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS."

"The results of the recent  
investigations in Paris and the  
report of the Academie de  
Medecine of France have placed  
Apollinaris Water at the head of  
all the waters examined for purity  
and freedom from Disease Germs."

SOLE AGENTS:  
CARLOWITZ & CO.,  
HONG KONG, SHANGHAI, CANTON, TIENTSIN, AND HANKOW.

## Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY,  
LIMITED,  
28, Queen's Road Central.

ASBESTOS PACKINGS to suit all Steam  
Power.  
Jointings for any work, however great the  
pressure and temperature.

LUBRICANTS both liquid and solid.  
ESTIMATES given for COVER-  
ING BOILERS and STEAM PIPES,  
with our Patent ASBESTOS COMPOSI-  
TION.

NEW MILLINERY  
JUST TO HAND.

THE LATEST NOVELTIES.  
HONGKONG TRADING CO.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1895. 1410

TENNIS BATS.  
A FINE SELECTION JUST TO HAND.

THE FALCON BAT, .....\$ 5.00  
THE EXCELSIOR BAT, .....7.00  
SPECIAL CHAMPION, .....9.00  
WIMBLEDON CHAMPION, all Cane, Special Gut, .....12.00  
TENNIS SHOES.  
WALTER W. BREWER.  
Hongkong, July 22, 1895. 1334

SHANGHAI BREWERY  
Pale Bitter Ale,  
IN SMALL CASKS.

BREWED from MALT & HOPS only.  
In SPECIAL CONDITION.  
Casks—9 Gallons .....\$ 7.50.  
18 do. .....15.00.  
Casks—9 Gallons .....\$ 8.00.  
18 do. .....16.00.  
WATTS & Co.,  
Sole Agents, 100 House Street.

'Shall I not take mine ease at mine Inn?'  
if it be the  
HONGKONG HOTEL,  
Where it can be taken amidst such Luxurious Surroundings.  
1393

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES  
named:—  
FOR. STEAMSHIP. DATE. REMARKS.  
SHANGHAI.....Ravenna.....About 12th August.....Freight or Passage.  
STRAITS AND BOMBAY.....Brindist.....About 13th August.....Freight (calling at Colombo, if  
sufficient inducement offers).  
LONDON, &c.....Keara-Hind Noon, 15th August.....See Special Advertisement.  
JAPAN.....Verona.....Noon, 16th August.....Freight or Passage.  
SHANGHAI.....Manila.....About 21st August.....Freight or Passage.  
LONDON and MARSEILLES.....Aden.....About 22nd August.....Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent.  
Hongkong, August 3, 1895. 1425

IRROY'S  
Champagnes.

CARTE D'OR, Blackbill, Vintage 1889.  
CARTE BLANCHE, Whitebill.  
Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.,  
Sole Agents,  
HONGKONG, 15, QUEEN'S ROAD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Catherine Apcar having arrived  
from the above Ports, Consignees  
of Cargo are hereby informed that their  
Goods will be delivered from alongside.  
Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-  
ing on board after the 7th instant, will  
be landed at Consignees' risk and expense  
into the Godowns of the WATSON &  
HOUSE AND STORAGE CO., Ltd., Wharf.  
Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE  
and PENANG are requested to take imme-  
diate delivery of their Goods from along-  
side; such Cargo impeding the discharge of  
the Vessel will be landed and stored at  
Consignees' risk and expense.  
No Free Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,  
Agents.

HONGKONG, August 5, 1895. 1433

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HONGKONG, August 5, 1895. 1433

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.  
MR. THOS. H. REID is authorised to  
"Sole my Name" in connection with  
the Business of the "CHINA MAIL" Office.  
GEO. MURRAY BAIN.  
July 1, 1895. 1214

NOTICE.  
WE Have this Day authorized Mr.  
HANS SCHUBART to Sign our  
Firm per Procuration.  
CARLOWITZ & Co.  
Canton & Hongkong,  
1st August, 1895. 1407

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SHANGHAI.  
The Steamship  
"Siam," Captain F. SCHULZ, will  
be despatched for the above  
Port on THURSDAY, the 8th Inst.,  
at 4 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
SIEBSEN & Co.,  
Hongkong, August 6, 1895. 1444

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR LONDON, VIA PORTS OF CALL.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Aurora," Captain J. G. GORDON,  
will be despatched as above  
on the 8th August.  
For Freight, apply to  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, July 29, 1895. 1299

FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT).  
The Steamship  
"Siam," Captain F. SCHULZ, will  
be despatched for the above  
Port at Daylight on SUNDAY, the 11th  
Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DODD, WELLS, CARLILL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1895. 1412

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN.  
The Steamship  
"Kwangtung," Captain J. G. GORDON, will  
be despatched on TUES-  
DAY, the 13th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, August 6, 1895. 1406

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Orizaba," Captain J. G. GORDON, will  
be despatched as above on  
TUESDAY, the 13th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

HONGKONG, August 3, 1895. 1422

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND  
CALCUTTA.

The Steamship  
"Catherine Apcar," Captain J. G. GORDON, will  
be despatched for the above  
Ports on TUESDAY, the 13th Inst.,  
at 3 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,  
Agents.

HONGKONG, August 6, 1895. 1440

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE  
AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI & KOBE.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Gisela," Captain A. MURDOCH, will  
be despatched for the above places  
on TUESDAY, the 13th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
SANDER & Co.,  
Agents.

HONGKONG, August 6, 1895. 1447

SHELL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Spandau," Captain G. GRUBBS, will  
be despatched as above on  
or about the 15th Proximo.

For Freight, apply to  
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, July 31, 1895. 1397







## BELLIOS PUBLIC SCHOOL.

## PRESENTATION OF PRIZES.

This afternoon, His Excellency Sir William Robinson presided at the annual distribution of prizes to the pupils attending the Bellios Public School for Girls. There was a large attendance of parents and friends, including some leading residents.

The following report was read by Dr. Eitel prior to the distribution of the prizes by His Excellency:—

BELLIOS PUBLIC SCHOOL, Hongkong, 30th July, 1895.

Sir,—I have the honor to forward you the Fifth Annual Report of the Bellios Public School.

During the past school year (counting from September, 1894, to the end of July, 1895) the numbers, especially among English children, have steadily increased, and the regularity of attendance since the cessation of the Plague has been most satisfactory. The average attendance during the year was 120, but since the last few months the number of scholars has been rapidly increasing. The average attendance of the whole school has been 270 for some months past.

In addition to the ordinary English subjects, Singing, Instrumental Music and Physical Drill are taught; and copy book writing. The girls in the upper forms show great aptitude in map-drawing, the maps drawn from memory being especially good. Needlework, both English and Chinese, is most creditable.

The younger children are most carefully trained by Mrs. Titcher, who, by her painstaking and clever management, greatly facilitates their progress when removed to the upper standards.

A magnificent set of wall-maps and natural History Pictures, etc., procured from England last year, has proved of great assistance. A school library in which the girls could procure books from home for reading would supply a long felt need, as at present in the majority of cases their study of English Literature is almost exclusively confined to lesson-books. We are also in great want of a School Piano, the present one having entirely collapsed and the funds for school apparatus leave no margin for extra of any kind. As the study is much appreciated by parents and children and is of an elevating nature it is only right that provision should be made for the teaching thereof. The present system of hiring is far too expensive to be continued.

The staff is unchanged with two exceptions. We have to deplore the loss of the Teacher of Chinese Embroidery, whose death last year from Plague caused great regret to both teachers and children. Her gentle disposition and skill as a teacher had secured her to all. We have, however, been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Tang Lai-shi, a very capable teacher.

The second Chinese master, Mr. Leung K'ing-hin, having retired on a pension, his place was filled by the appointment of an additional master.

The work of the school is greatly facilitated by the light and airy building in which it is now established, and the deepest gratitude is felt towards the liberal donors. The Inspector of Schools has just concluded his Annual Examination and expressed his satisfaction with the result. I have the honor to be, Sir, your most obedient servant.

(Sd.) E. A. BATHMAN.

Headmaster.

The Hon. J. H. STUART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

His Excellency, after distributing the prizes, said—Ladies and gentlemen, I need hardly tell you that the giving away of these prizes to the school children affords me a great deal of pleasure. This school, as you are aware, was opened about 16 or 18 months ago; it was erected by one to whom the cause of education in Hongkong owes a great deal—Mr. Bellios (applause), and it was erected on ground given by the Government. I recollect that when I signed away this piece of land there were considerable differences of opinion as to whether it was a wise step or not. It was pointed out that this was a very valuable site, too good a site for a school. It is therefore more gratifying to find that the ground has not been thrown away on the foundation of this school, which gives every promise of success, and in fact has up to the present time been a very great success indeed. (Applause). The school is divided into two parts, the upper school English and the lower entirely for Chinese children. From Dr. Eitel's report I am glad to see that the order and discipline maintained here and the cheerful aspect of the children show an affectionate connection between the pupils and their teachers. I have been in the other room just now, and I saw with surprise the excellent mapping and superior embroidery done by the children. A great deal, I am told, is due to the wall-maps presented by the Government and always available for the children's use. The reading, according to Dr. Eitel's report, is very fluent and accurate, and there has been special progress in elocution. I believe it is the practice for the girls to recite before the whole school once or twice a week, resulting in great improvement. History has been taught orally, instead of from books, and the results have been remarkably good. The arithmetic papers, Dr. Eitel says, on the whole have been very well and very neatly done; and he concludes his report with a high eulogy of the good spirit prevailing in the school, due mainly to the head mistress and her excellent assistants, of whom I am sorry to say there are too few. I need hardly say that the success of a school is due to its teachers, and the centre of the life of the school is its head mistress. The bringing-up of children in these days is increasing in difficulty every year, on account of the increasingly higher standards required, and the girls of this school I am glad to say recognize the fact that they are assisted by the teachers in that cheerful spirit which Dr. Eitel says animates this school throughout. In conclusion I will only say to the girls that I hope they will play earnestly in their play-hours, and work earnestly in their working hours. Make the most of the time; never let any

time slip through your fingers, time passes quickly enough, and the elder we get the faster it passes. Remember the words of old Samuel Johnson. Duty and perseverance are as necessary to manhood as to womanhood.

Catch them, oh catch the transient hour Improve each moment as it flies Life's short summer, man a dower which dies, and for soon you die!

In conclusion, His Excellency wished the school every success.

An interesting programme of songs and recitations was then gone through by the pupils, who showed admirable proficiency.

## LIST OF PRIZE-WINNERS.

The following is a list of the prize-winners:—

1st Class.—Reading, May Hunter, Bethel Long, Book, 'Faint Silhouette'; Arithmetic, Lizzie Abraham, Silver Bangle; Grammar, Lizzie Olson, Bangle and Brooch; Geography, May Hunter, Pair Gold Bangle; Composition, Ethel Long, Silver Penholder; History, Lizzie Abraham, Book, 'How Old China'; Map Drawing, Kitty Turner, Silver Pen; Writing, Kitty Turner, Pencil Case; Needlework, May Hunter, Workbox; Highest number of marks, Ethel Long, 'Webster's Dictionary'.

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## THE ARSON CASE.

At the Magistracy, to-day, before Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, the five Chinese charged with being concerned in setting fire to the Kung Cheong shop, 371 Queen's Road, on the night of the 30th July, were brought up again on remand.

Mr. C. C. Maise, who had surveyed the premises, described the building and the traces of fire and kerosene in various parts of it.

Wong Kan, employed in the shop, identified the five defendants as being inmates of the building, and as having all slept on the premises on the night of the fire. The first defendant, Tam Pang, was accountant of the Kung Cheong shop, and was in charge of the business during the master's absence. He also conducted the business of the Kwong Shun Loong, a Singapore firm for which the Kung Cheong shop was agent.

His place was at the inner counter by day, and at night he slept in the accountant's room. The second defendant, Chun Kwong, was assistant accountant, and worked at the outer counter. He also slept on it. The third defendant, Chung Wa, was a coolie in the Kung Cheong, and slept on the first floor verandah.

The fourth, Chung Mar, also a coolie, slept on the ground floor, and the fifth, Chung Cheong, (coolie), on the first floor inside. When witness first heard cries of fire he had been sleeping. He got up and found the house on fire, and all the inmates awake. He was on the first floor and the fire was below. He climbed over into the verandah of the next house to escape. He did not see any rope hung from the Kung Cheong verandah. He did not go down into the ground floor because it was on fire; the stairs were burning. He did not stop to put out the fire, as it was too strong; he wanted to get away. He did not go to the back of the shop, where the fire was. He did not know who gave the alarm. The master or managing partner of the shop, Chung Shiu, was away that night; could not say when he was last there. He was only in the shop about ten days in a month.

To him, employed in the Wai Sung Bank, 91 Bonham Strand, said that on the night of the 30th July the Kung Cheong account books were brought to his place for safe keeping, about one o'clock a.m. He was in bed at the time. He was told the Kung Cheong shop was on fire. He did not examine the books. Afterwards the second defendant and a policeman came and took the books away.

Thomas Sexton, P. O. 53, said he was on duty on the 31st, on Queen's Road. About 12.30 a.m. he met District Watchman No. 51, who gave him a parcel made of paper saturated with kerosene oil and containing matches recently burnt. The two then went to the house, 371 Queen's Road. Witness saw charred timbers on the cockpit floor near the stairs, and a basket full of shavings. He also saw a rope fastened to the verandah and hanging down. There was about a square foot of burnt floor at the head of the cockpit stair. The basket of shavings was about eight feet to the left, on the cockpit floor. There was a very strong smell of kerosene in the loft, and some cloth on the stair also smelt of kerosene. There were splashes of kerosene on the floor close to the burnt part. The cloth on the stair was what the watchman had used to beat out the fire.

Adjourned to Friday at 11.30.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## THE INDIGNATION MEETING.

To the Editor of 'The China Mail.'

Hongkong, Aug. 6.

Sir,—By an express communication this afternoon I notice a public meeting is called for to-morrow at 10 o'clock. To many this will be a most inconvenient time. It cannot be a representative meeting of the Colony. I would suggest an evening meeting, after five, especially for those who cannot get to the early meeting.—Yours,

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

'ANYWAY,' said the corned philosopher, 'when the women get into Congress you won't hear any more of that "A peace for a reply" chesnut. They won't pass. No.'

A FRIEND writes from London, before the election—'Calm hand is Lord Rosebery, isn't he? And what luck the fellow has, to be sure, to win the Derby twice. Yes, he's lucky, shrewd, calm and cold. Did you ever hear of his having a friend? I have not. We disliked him at Oxford and pulled him four times for Vincent's Club there—but do you think that stopped him? Devil a bit: he came up smiling a fifth time, and we let him in!'

The following decision has been arrived at regarding the Commandants of regiments in the Native Army:—(1) Officers appointed to the permanent command of regiments before the 14th May 1895 shall be exempted from passing the examination in 'Tactical Fitness for Command' prescribed in the Queen's Regulations for Majors of the British Army before appointment to the permanent command of the regiment, which was extended to the Staff Corps in May 1895. (2) Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels or Colonels who held that rank on the 24th May 1895 and substantive Majors who may be appointed to the permanent command of regiments before the 1st January 1896 will also be exempt from examination if reported as qualified for command by the General Officer commanding the division in which they are serving. (3) An officer who has not had the opportunity of presenting himself for examination may up to 1st January 1897 be appointed to command provisionally pending an opportunity for his examination which must be passed before that date. (4) Provisional appointment of untested officers to command will after 1st January 1897 be made under very special and exceptional circumstances.—*Hongkong Gazette.*

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## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

(SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL'.)

LONDON, August 4, 1895.

## NEW RUSSIAN MINISTER FOR COREA.

M. Speler, the Russian Minister at Teleran, has been appointed to Corea.

## MORE ASSASSINATIONS IN BULGARIA.

M. Matkief, a friend of the late M. Stambouloff, has been fatally wounded by assassins.

## THE ARMENIAN QUESTION.

The Porte's reply to the Powers regarding the Armenian difficulty is unsatisfactory. The Bulgarian Mission, on its return to Sofia from St. Petersburg, received a great ovation, and it is stated that instructions have been issued to demand the release of the unconvicted Armenian prisoners. Great Britain, conjointly with the other signatories to the Berlin treaty, has informed the Porte that a European Commission will be appointed immediately to administer the province on behalf of the Sultan.

POOCHOW, August 6, 1895.

## THE MASSACRE OF MISSIONARIES.

The survivors of the massacre, who have been interviewed, state that it was a premeditated and diabolical plot to get rid of the missionaries, and that no provocation was given. The victims were asleep when attacked.

The corpses and charred remains of the victims were buried at midnight yesterday. Rumours are current of further riots nearer Poochow.

An indignation meeting will be held at the Club to-night.

LONDON, 5th August.

## THE MISSIONARY MASSACRE.

The massacre of missionaries, at Kuechow, of British subjects, has aroused the deepest horror and anger in England.

## EUROPEAN POLITICS.

The German Chancellor and the Austrian Minister of Foreign Affairs have had an interview at which they discussed the foreign situation, especially that of Bulgaria.

## THE ANNUAL VISIT OF THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY TO ENGLAND.

The Emperor of Germany has arrived at Cowes.

## RUJOURS OF BOYCOTTING AT KOBE.

For some time past we have not heard so much of boycotting as was the case about twelve months ago, the weapon having been taken up by Japanese dealers to some extent double-edged. Former experiences seem to have been forgotten, however, for threats of boycotting are now being repeated. There is the disgraceful case in Yokohama with reference to Messrs. Cornes & Co., and now we learn from local vernacular papers that threats have been made to boycott two foreign firms in Kobe. So long as the Japanese merchant is equally ready to overtake but simply enter into a combination not to deal with particular firms, we fear nothing can be done by way of suppressing a practice which will eventually be productive of considerable evil both to Japanese and foreigners. But as regards the case of the Yokohama yard dealers and their threats against Messrs. Cornes & Co. with the object of nullifying a decision rendered by a court of law, it seems to us that the Japanese authorities are called upon to take strong measures in order to prevent the law of the land from being brought into ridicule and contempt. If it is possible for a combination of Japanese merchants to thus render the judgment of a court wholly nugatory, then, Codes or no Codes, it will be a force for the foreign merchant to proceed to a court of law with the object of forcing redress against a Japanese.—*Chronicle.*

## THE LIAOTUNG PENINSULA.

From a remark incidentally made by the St. Petersburg correspondent of *The Times* in connection with the Russo-Chinese loan, it seems to be generally understood that the loan is destined to reduce the Liaotung Peninsula from Japanese occupation. A rumour is also circulated in Yokohama to the effect that a sum of 75 millions sterling has been fixed as compensation for the return of the Peninsula. The former inference seems to be equally erroneous. In actual fact, some time ago, that the terms upon which the Peninsula is to be restored to China had not yet been negotiated, and the statement holds good to-day. Whether a monetary payment by China will be among the conditions, we cannot tell. The latter inference is equally erroneous. In actual fact, some time ago, that the terms upon which the Peninsula is to be restored to China had not yet been negotiated, and the statement holds good to-day. Whether a monetary payment by China will be among the conditions, we cannot tell. 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THE Steamship **KAISER-I-HIND**,  
Capt. F. H. Seymour, carrying Her

Majesty's Mail, will be despatched from

this for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the

15th August, at Noon, taking Passengers

and Cargo for the above Ports. (This

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GANGES, which Vessel takes on her

Cargo for LONDON, via SUEZ CANAL,

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1895.

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will be transhipped at Colombo into a

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Parcels will be received at this Office

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Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Com-

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For further Particulars, apply to

ALF. WOOLLEY,  
Acting Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, August 1, 1895. 1411

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NAPLES, GENOA,  
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THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL  
AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS  
AND LOGGERS.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills  
of Lading for the principal places in  
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Preussens..... Monday August 10.  
Oldenburg..... Monday Sept. 16.  
Gera..... Monday Oct. 14.  
Prinz Heinrich..... Monday Nov. 11.  
Preussens..... Monday Dec. 9.  
Sachsen..... Monday Jan. 6.  
Gera..... Monday Feb. 3.

ON MONDAY, the 19th day of August,  
1895, at 3 p.m., the Company's  
Steamship **PREUSSENS**, Capt. HOOKMANN,  
with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPIRITS,  
and CARGO, will leave this port as above,  
calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till  
noon on SATURDAY, the 17th August,  
Cargo and Spirit will be received on  
board until noon, on MONDAY, the 19th  
August, and Parcels will be received (at  
the Agency's Office) until noon, on TUESDAY,  
the 20th August. Contents of Packages  
are required. No Parcel Receipts will be  
signed for less than \$2.50, and Parcels  
should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in  
measurement.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation  
and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Linen can be washed on board.

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Hongkong, July 27, 1895. 1371

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Coptic (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... THURSDAY, Aug. 8, at noon.

Tachibana (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... TUESDAY, Aug. 27, at noon.

Belgia (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... SATURDAY, Sept. 23, at noon.

THE Steamship **COPTIC** will be

despatched for SAN FRANCISCO,

via AMOY, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND

SEA AND YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY,

the 8th August, at Noon, connection being

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Steamers of this line pass through the

INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at

HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to

break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passengers' Tickets granted to

England, France, and Germany by all trans-

Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the prin-

cipal cities of the United States or Canada.

Rates and particulars of the various routes

may be obtained upon application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted

to Missionaries, members of the Naval,

Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services,

to European officials in service of China

and Japan, and to Government officials and

their families.

Passengers who have paid full fare, re-

embarking at San Francisco for China or

Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will

be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This

discount does not apply to through fares

from China and Japan to Europe.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to

address in full; and same will be received

at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the

day previous to sailing.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

despatched to points beyond San Francisco,

in the United States, should be sent to the

Company's Office, addressed to the Col-

lector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or

Passage, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 7, Praya Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN,  
Agent.

Hongkong, August 5, 1895. 1338

## U. S. Mail Line.

## PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

## COMPANY.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND

HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

City of Rio de Janeiro (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu)..... SATURDAY, Aug. 17, at noon.

City of Peking (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... SATURDAY, Sept. 7, at noon.

China (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu)..... TUESDAY, Sept. 17, at noon.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship **CITY OF**

**RIO DE JANEIRO** will be de-

spatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via

NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA,

YOKOHAMA, and HONOLULU, on

SATURDAY, the 17th August, at Noon,

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LAND CITIES in the United States have,

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CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC,

DENVER and RIO GRANDE, and other

direct connecting Railways, and from Chi-

cago to destination, the choice of direct

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Central and South America, by the Com-

pany's and connecting Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 5

p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel

Packages will be received at the office until

5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages

should be marked to address in full; value

of same is required.

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J. S. VAN BUREN,  
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Hongkong, July 31, 1895. 1400

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Strathnevis (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... THURSDAY, Aug. 27, at noon.

Victoria (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... TUESDAY, Oct. 2, at noon.

Tacoma (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... TUESDAY, Oct. 29, at noon.

Victoria (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... TUESDAY, Nov. 19, at noon.

\* No Passengers carried by this sailing.

THE Steamship **STRATHNEVIS**,  
Capt. PATTIN, sailing at Noon, on

TUESDAY, the 27th August, will proceed

to YOKOHAMA, H. O., and TACOMA, via

SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and

YOKOHAMA.

Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan,

Pacific Coast Ports, and to Canadian and

United States Ports.

Consular Invoices of Goods for United

States Ports should be in quadruplicate,

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steamer to the care of The Freight Agent,

Northern Pacific Railroad, Tacoma, Wash.

Parcels must be sent to our Office (with

address marked in full) by 5 p.m., on the

day previous to sailing.

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